

AN
ALMANACK

For the Year of *CHRISTIAN* Account

1700.

Being *Bessetile* or Leap-Year.

And from the Creation of the World 5667.

But by *Dou's* Computation. 5704.

Containing Matters Useful & Necessary.

Chiefly accomodated to the Latitude
of 40 Degrees North, and Longitude of
about 73 degr. west from London. But
in y, without sensible Error serve all the
adjacent Places, even from *Newfoundland* to
the Capes of *Virginia*.

Daniel Leeds, Philomat.

Long time hast thou, Great Babylon, stood high,
And thou hast lived very sumptuously,
And hast Triumphed in thy lofty Pride,
As if thou shouldst as Queen forever ride:
But for all this, e'er long we shall have proof,
That thou art extinguish'd like a flaming Sulfur. G. W.

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Friendly Readers ;

I Have now freely served you with an Almanack twice seven years; and as often given you an opportunity to-cast my Name to and fro by Censure & Applause, but now I am free, being arrived to that Noble Year or Release, or Jubile. i. e. to seven times seven years of Age. And perceiving that we have young brisks and thumping Wits about Delaware that pretend to excell in this service, to them I Recommend you and leave it; unless they prove their own Enemies, and (like some Tinkers) mend one fault in mine, and make two in their own; yet this I shall also patiently pass by, if my Friends willingly grant me Repose.

I have filled the Vacancy on the top of the Months with some Country-fashioned Observations, which if they are as acceptable to my Friends as scorned by my Enemies, 'tis enough.

In other things I have followed my last years method, and more, not excepting Errors of the Press of which 'tis almost impossible my Almanack should be free. I living so remote from the Press: but those every man ought to pardon, according to the Poet.

*Let him that faultless shall find himself, declare
Faultless to be, or else to carp forbear.*

The time of High Water at Philadelphia is set in the 4th Column as usual by which you may know the time of high water at these places following, viz.

To know the time of High Water at New-York and Elizabeth Town point, take 5 hours 30 min. from the time of High water at Philadelphia.

Take 6 hours 30 min. from H. Water at Philadelphia and that shews High Water at Anboy.

Take 2 hours 30 min. from H. Water at Philadelphia, and it shews High Water at New-Castle

3 Add an hour, or thereabouts, and that shews High Water at Burlington.

E X A M P L E

I desire to know what time its High-Water at New-York or Elizabeth-Town point the 2d of January. Look in the 4th Column against the 2d day, and you'll find 2 h. 17 min. for the time of H. water at Philadelphia, from which take 4 h. 30 min. & there remains 2 h. 47 m. for the time of High-Water at New-York & Eliz. Town the day afore-said.

The Dominion of the Moon in Mans Body, passing under the 12 Signs of the Zodiac.

♈ Head, ♊ Throat, ♋ Arms, ♌ Brest, ♍ Heart, ♎ Belly, ♏ Reins. or Secrets, ♐ Thighs, ♑ Knees, ♒ Legs, ♒ the Feet.

The Names & Characters of the Seven Planets.

♄ Saturn, ♃ Jupiter, ☿ Mars, ☼ Sol, ♀ Venus, ☿ Mercury, ☾ the Moon, ♉ Dragons Head, ♊ Dragons Tail.

The Names and Characters of the 4 Aspects.

☿ Conjunction, ♋ Sextile, ☿ Opposition, ♊ Trine, ☿ Quartile.

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XI Month, Sebas, Cold January.

Generally People who are born here, live not to so great an Age as those our Inhabitants who are born in Europe; so like wise those Vessels made of old England Oak last longer than Vessels made of Oak growing in this Country, Fall Timber now, & it will last longer than that a len in Summer.

1	2	Circumcision.	☾	7	28	Sun rise at 7 17
2	8	7 stars sou. at 7 5	☾	8	17	sets at 4 43
3	9	Snow or Rain.	☾	9	06	
4	8	☐ ☐ and	☾	9	55	Last Quar. 2 day
5	6	stormy.	☾	10	44	New Moon 10 da
6	7		☾	11	3	at 1 morn.
7	0	☉ ☉ Rain or	☾	12	23	First Quar. 18
8	2	snow.	☾	1	11	day
9	3		☾	2	00	Full Moon 24 day
10	4		☾	2	48	at 3 afternoon.
11	5		☾	3	36	Sun rise at 7 11
12	6	Seems more	☾	4	24	sets at 4 59
13	7	SS & ☐ falling wet	☾	5	12	Wedding & ill win
14	0	weather.	☾	6	00	tering James both
15	2	☐ ☉ Now	☾	6	48	Man & Beast
16	3	warmer.	☾	7	36	
17	4		☾	8	24	Love well thy wife
18	5	Depl's north ash	☾	9	36	relieve the poor.
19	6	the idls cold wea-	☾	10	24	make much of them
20	7	ther.	☾	11	12	that labour sore.
21	0		☾	12	00	
22	1	☉ ☉ winter like.	☾	12	48	
23	3	Spring Tydes rise	☾	1	36	Sun rise at 7 1
24	4		☾	2	24	sets at 4 59
25	5	Convers. St. Paul.	☾	3	12	
26	6		☾	4	00	Prune fruit trees
27	7		☾	4	48	this or next mon: b.
28	0		☾	5	36	the more you prune
29	1	Day robo. 18 min.	☾	5	24	hem (in reason) the
30	2	This aspect d. notes in	☾	7	12	more & sooner they
31	3	☐ ☉ some wet, in	☾	8	01	will bear fruit.

XII Month, *Aaar*, Dirty February.

I observe, in the Annimal-Kingdom, Creatures in this Country move sooner to Generation and Corruption than in *England*; So in the Vegetable Kingdom, the Fruit Trees, especially of Orchards, bear fruit younger, and the Trees are of smaller growth, and shorter lived, than the same sorts in *England*.

M.D.	Remarkable Days, & Planets Aspects.	D.	H. W.	Sun rising & sets. & day's change.
1	5	7	8 30	Sun rise at 6 44
2	6	7	9 39	Sets at 5 15
3	7	17	10 28	Last Quar. 1 da.
4	7	17	11 17	New Moon 8 day
5	2	17	12 06	8 at night.
6	3	17	12 55	First Quar. 10
7	4	17	1 40	day.
8	5	17	2 10	Full D eclipsed
9	6	17	2 58	23 day at 1 morn
10	7	17	3 40	
11	8	17	4 34	We Planters do long
12	9	17	5 21	Winters fear,
13	10	17	6 10	Some think they
14	11	17	6 58	longer every year
15	12	17	7 46	
16	13	17	8 34	Sun rise at 6 33
17	14	17	9 22	Sets at 5 37
18	15	17	10 10	
19	16	17	10 58	
20	17	17	11 45	
21	18	17	12 4	Sun rise at 6 31
22	19	17	1 22	Sets at 5 31
23	20	17	2 10	
24	21	17	2 58	Fish hold good to end
25	22	17	3 46	Clints which show
26	23	17	4 34	in the ground are
27	24	17	5 22	not before the end of
28	25	17	6 10	the year.
29	26	17	7 01	

I Month, *Abib*, Blustering *March*.

One cause of the fore-going difference I take to be
in that we have greater extremes of Heat and Cold,
and a more suddain alteration than in *England*; of
which if People took but a due consideration and care,
some Miseries might be prevented.

1	6	David 8.	7	8	50	Sun rise at 6 13
2	7	Δ ⊙ δ These	vy	8	39	sets at 5 48
3	⊙	Aspect. shew	vy	9	28	
4	2	* ⊙ * a warn	∞	10	17	Last Quar. 1 day
5	3	sea on.	∞	11	6	
6	4	□ ♀ ♀	∞	11	55	New D 9 day at
7	5	D with h.	κ	12	44	after-noon.
8	6		κ	1	33	
9	7		Y	2	28	Sun rises at 6 &
10	⊙	Day & Night Equ.	Y	3	17	sets at 6.
11	2	Δ δ ♀ But 'ts	Y	4	6	
12	3	* ♀ ♀ March	σ	4	55	The ground being
13	4	many weathers.	σ	5	44	open plains English
14	5		II	6	33	Pease and Beans,
15	6		II	7	22	sow all hardy seeds
16	7	* h ♀ weather	σ	8	11	as Parsnips, Car-
17	⊙	Y ⊙ ♀ oft shifts	σ	9	00	rots, &c.
18	2	and changes.	Ω	9	49	
19	3	Day 12 ho. 15 m.	Ω	10	38	First Quar. 16 da
20	4	S; ♀ ♀ looks	ny	11	27	Full D 23 day at
21	5	like rain.	ny	12	16	after-noon.
22	6		ny	1	5	Last Quar. 30 da
23	7		∞	1	54	
24	⊙	Palm Sunday.	∞	2	43	
25	2	Annunti-V. Mary.	m	3	32	Sun rise at 5 45
26	3		m	4	21	sets at 6 15
27	4	□ ♀ ♀ Now	f	5	10	
28	5	wind and	f	6	59	Very graft winter
29	6	then	vy	6	48	Apples on Crab
30	7	♂ ♀ ♀ wet.	vy	7	37	stocks, or on stocks
31	⊙	Easter-Day.	vy	8	26	winter apples.

11 Month, 21, Dripping April.

No tinging Birds in th's Country (that are of the same kind with those in England) do sing so sweetly or melodiously as in England, nor are the spotted or party coloured Birds here so beautiful or glorious as those of the same kind in England.

1	2	Day 13 ho.	ac	9	14	Sun rise at 5 29
2	3	* h q these two	as	10	7	sets at 6 31
3	4	Δ x q conterd.	x	10	34	New D 7 day
4	5	D with h	x	11	35	11 at Night
5	6		x	12	36	First Quar. 19th
6	7		γ	1	14	Full D 22 day at
7	8		γ	2	2	noon.
8	9	□ ⊙ x wind at	δ	2	31	Last Quarter 29 da
9	10	D with q (leaf)	δ	3	40	
10	11	D with q	II	4	29	Sun rise at 5 18
11	12	K. William crown'd	II	5	18	sets at 6 42
12	13	♂ ♂ v looks like	II	6	17	
13	14	□ h q showers of	SS	6	56	'Tis not too late to
14	15	hail and rain.	SS	7	45	graft the bare parts
15	16		Ω	8	34	of this Month.
16	17		Ω	9	23	especially if you do
17	18	Day 13 ho. 3 quar	Ω	10	12	it at the ground.
18	19	1 ear not bad from	Ω	11	1	which is the best
19	20	* ⊙ lythis aspect	Ω	12	50	way.
20	21		Ω	12	39	
21	22	D with q	Ω	1	28	Sun rise at 4 7
22	23		Ω	2	17	sets at 6 53
23	24		Ω	3	06	
24	25	St. Mark.	Ω	3	55	
25	26	SS q v Now rain	Ω	4	44	Concord here
26	27	⊙ ♂ & thunder	Ω	5	33	starts in fall
27	28	D with x	Ω	6	22	say I have
28	29	Day 14 hours.	Ω	7	11	things. Conclude
29	30		Ω	8	00	day.
30	31		Ω	8	49	

III Month, June, Pleasant May.

This Country exceeds England in affording indu-
 stry to People (unlike to be wealthy and flourishing)
 but a licentious Idleness and Pride obstructs many, by
 pleasurable Noises, fine Houses, gay Household stuff
 shining Garments, &c. and though we run in Debt
 yet these must be had.

1	4	Phil. & Jacobus.	X	9	38	Sun rise at 4 57
2	5	☉ ☿ Rain and	X	10	37	sets at 7 3
3	6	wind.	Y	11	16	New ☽ 7 day
4	7		Y	12	04	at 1 afternoon.
5	8		Y	13	52	First Quar. 14 da
6	9	Day 14 ho. 16 m.	Y	1	40	Full ☽ 21 day
7	10		Y	2	28	at noon.
8	11		II	3	17	Last Quar. 29 day
9	12	Ascension Day	II	4	06	
10	13	☿ ☽ ♀ these con-	II	5	55	Sun rise at 4 47
11	14	☿ ☽ ♀ found	II	6	44	sets at 7 13
12	15	the weather.	II	7	33	
13	16	☽ with ☿ ☽	II	8	22	Now the Earth re-
14	17	The wet Planets	II	9	11	sembles a Terrest-
15	18	are not idle.	II	10	00	rial Paradise. 'tis
16	19		II	11	49	to our advantage
17	20		II	12	38	to have chaste tho-
18	21	Whitsunday.	II	1	27	ughts. & to sweat
19	22	Days 14 h. & half	II	2	16	by honest moderate
20	23		II	3	05	labour. & to beware
21	24		II	4	43	of sudden cold.
22	25	This oft brings	II	5	32	
23	26	☉ ☽ ♀ hail. rain &	II	6	21	Sun rise at 4 41
24	27	☽ with ♀	II	7	10	sets at 7 19
25	28	(thunder,	II	8	58	
26	29	☽ ♀ ♀ growing	II	9	48	Does teach us how
27	30	(weather,	II	10	37	to bring. They
28	31	☽ with ♀	II	1	26	bring Honey so the
29	32		II	2	15	Hive.
30	33	Days 14 h. 3 Quar	II	3	04	

IV Month, *April*, *1692*.

The Earth in this Country, *Heath* more under the Curs than in *England*, as I could shew in divers spots. But the general Blast on Orchards bears date from the Time that the *great* Zeal of the *Q. V. A. K. R. S.* broke out in a flame one against another, which was in the Year 1692.

1	7		Y	10	23	Sun rises at 4 36
2	0		Y	11	42	sets at 7 24
3	2	Δ ♂ ♀ wind that	Y	12	31	New Moon 4 at
4	3	□ ♂ ♀ may bring	II	1	20	9 at night.
5	4	rain.	II	2	8	First Quar. 17
6	6		III	3	46	Full moon 20 day
7	6		III	4	25	at 2 morn.
8	7		III	5	14	Last Quar. 28
9	0	D with ♂	III	6	3	day
10	2	Longest day 14 h	III	6	52	
11	3	5 min. Barnabas.	III	7	41	Sun rise at 4 34
12	4	□ ♂ ♀ windy.	III	8	30	sets at 7 26
13	5		III	9	19	
14	6		III	10	08	
15	7	D with ♂	III	10	57	You that cannot
16	0	* ♀ ♀ perhaps	III	11	46	heer phea: all sum
17	2	wet or foggy.	III	12	35	mer from spoiling
18	3		III	1	24	with Worms may
19	4		III	2	13	grind in 15 stop the
20	5		III	3	02	Meal hard two
21	6	Δ ♂ ♂ Thunder,	III	3	51	Tubs, and will
22	7	♀ with car ♂	III	4	40	keep a whole year.
23	0		III	5	29	
24	2	St John Bapt.	X	6	18	Sun rise at 4 36
25	3	Δ ♂ ♀ perhaps	X	6	07	sets at 7 24
26	4	Δ ♀ ♀ heat and	X	7	07	
27	5	sudden cold.	Y	7	56	
28	6		Y	8	45	
29	7	St. Peter & Paul.	Y	9	34	
30	0	♂ ♂ ♀ warm wind	Y	10	23	

V Month, *Av. Parking July.*

But a special Providence has attended *Slavery*, and especially *East and West-India*, by its *Indians* being an expelled mixt decaying and beggarly People, and so not capable of uniting in a Body to do mischief.

1	2	Hit or miss. will	II	10	12	Sun rise at 4 41
2	3	Δ & ☽ be hot.	III	12	2	sets at 7 19
3	4	☽ & ☿ before cold	IV	12	52	New Moon 5 42
4	5		V	1	42	at 4 moon.
5	6		VI	2	47	First Quar. 12 12
6	7	Day 24 ho. & half.	VII	3	31	Full Moon 19 day
7	8	☽ & ☿ thunder.	VIII	4	20	at night.
8	9	SS ☽ ☿ and so	IX	5	09	Last Quar. 27
9	10	forth.	X	6	06	Solax.
10	11		XI	6	47	
11	12	☽ with ☽	XII	7	36	Sunrise at 4 37
12	1	☽ & ☿ stormy.	I	8	25	sets at 7 19
13	2	St. Switers.	II	9	14	
14	3	☽ & ☿ & sudden	III	10	3	Laborem sctor's
15	4	showers.	IV	10	52	good Phy. at New
16	5	☽ with ☿	V	11	41	Sleep now till day.
17	6		VI	12	30	Let Venus go
18	7	Day Days begin.	VII	1	19	
19	8	Now hope to see	VIII	2	8	
20	9	good weather.	IX	2	57	
21	10	☽ with ☿	X	3	46	Sun rise at 4 54
22	11		XI	4	35	sets at 7 6
23	12		XII	4	24	Abstain from Phy
24	1		I	6	13	let make no fire
25	2	St. James.	II	7	02	urge.
26	3		III	7	51	
27	4	* ☽ & Thunder	IV	8	4	The Farmer's time
28	5	☽ & ☿ yet per-	V	0	29	is a good time to
29	6	haps dry.	VI	0	18	see Thrax.
30	7		VII	1	7	

VI Month, Elul, Withering August.

Though it be the nature of these Woods to make Rich men Poor, and Poor men Rich. Labour being the means to gain Wealth, yet such is the influence of this Wilderness, on the Inhabitants who are born here, that it inclines them to an idle way of living.

1	5		S	12	46	Sun rise at 5 15
2	6	☿ ☿ ☿ Fear not	☿	1	38	sets at 6 55
3	7		☿	2	26	
4	0	High Spring Tides	☿	3	15	New Moon 3 day
5	2	D with ☿	☿	4	4	at noon.
6	3		☿	4	53	First Quar. 20
7	4	☿ ☿ ☿ windy,	☿	5	42	day.
8	5		☿	6	31	Full Moon 18 da
9	6	Day 13 ho. & half	☿	7	2	Last Quar. 26
10	7	D with ☿	☿	8	09	day.
11	0		☿	8	18	
12	2		☿	9	47	Sun rise at 5 17
13	3		☿	10	36	sets at 6 42
14	4	D with ☿	☿	11	25	
15	5		☿	12	14	
16	6	☿ ☿ ☿ wet and	☿	1	03	To sweat is good.
17	7	☿ ☿ ☿ heat,	☿	1	52	but for shouds
18	0	D with ☿	☿	2	41	Beware of Cold ☿
19	1		☿	3	30	Venus 100.
20	3	Day 13 hours.	☿	4	19	
21	4	☿ ☿ ☿ These do	☿	5	8	Sun rise at 5 30
22	5	☿ ☿ ☿ confound	☿	5	47	sets at 6 30
23	6	☿ ☿ ☿ heath other	☿	6	46	
24	7		☿	7	35	St. Bartholomew.
25	0	D near Alderboran	☿	8	24	
26	3	☿ ☿ ☿ heat.	☿	9	13	
27	2	Day-Days end,	☿	10	02	A load of Hay
28	4	7 stars 100 at 4 30	☿	10	51	gotten before 111
29	5		☿	11	40	time 11 worth 100
30	6		☿	12	29	load got a month
31	7	Day 12 ho. & half	☿	1	20	hours.

VII Month, *Ethanim*, Temperate September.

English whear makes good proof on new Land in this Country, but grows lean when sown on fallow Ground, this Earth being but as a step-mother thereunto, yet *Indian Corn*, being Natural, seems never to wear out the Land nor the Land whereon tis yearly planted.

1	☉	High Spring Tydes;	☿ 2	10	Sun rise at 5 46
2	2	7 stars south at 4	♂ 2	18	sets at 6 14
3	3	Δ 3 ☿ Thunder	♂ 3	49	New Moon 1 day
4	4		♂ 4	37	8 at night.
5	5	☿ ☿ ☿ Rain	♂ 5	26	First Quar. 8 day
6	6		♂ 6	21	Full ☾ 17 day
7	7		♂ 7	04	at 2 morn.
8	7	☿ with ☿	♂ 7	53	Last Quar. 24
9	2	Expect some	☿ 8	42	day.
10	3	☿ ☿ ☿ fretful	☿ 9	31	
11	4	weather.	☿ 10	20	Sun rise at 5 58
12	5	Day & Night equal	♂ 11	09	sets at 6 2
13	6		♂ 11	58	
14	7	☾ with ☿	♂ 12	47	VVest-Jarley, as
15	7	7 stars south at 3	♂ 1	36	now divided from
16	2		♂ 2	25	ast-Jarley, con-
17	3	Finish your harvest	☿ 3	14	tains 5750 square
18	3	work and Hay.	☿ 4	03	Miles, which is
19	5		☿ 5	52	368000 Acres
20	6		☿ 6	41	but an eminent
21	7	St. Matthew.	♂ 6	30	Surveyor makes it
22	☿	Δ 3 ☿ Windy in	♂ 7	19	46th part greater
23	2	all probability.	♂ 8	08	
24	3		♂ 8	57	
25	4	Day 14 ho. 30 mi	☿ 9	46	Sun rise at 6 13
26	5		♂ 10	35	sets at 5 47
27	6		♂ 11	24	
28	7	Spring Tydes rise	☿ 12	14	Rum & Tobacco,
29	☿	St. Michael.	☿ 1	02	prove two enemies
30	2	☿ ☿ ☿ astro.	♂ 1	10	to the Publick

VIII Month, Bull, Mild October.

Horses are not so subject to such various Diseases here as in England, but more subject to sudden or casual Death. Yet the fancies of People, according to their VVealth, run here just as in England. In setting great and feigned Prizes on some Horses, which are most apt to be spoiled.

1	3	Day 11 ho. 12 mi.	☿	1	38	Sun rise at 6 34
2	4	♂ & ♀ moist,	♂	3	37	sets at 5 36
3	5	7 stars south 2 10	♂	4	10	New D 1 day
4	6		♀	5	05	at 6 morn
5	7	☉ ☿ heat or	♀	5	54	first Quar. 8 da
6	8	* h ♂ Thunder,	♀	6	43	ull D 16 day
7	2	D with ♂	♀	7	32	Last Quar. 23
8	3	D with ♀	♀	8	21	lay.
9	4		☿	9	10	New D 30 day
10	5		☿	9	59	at night.
11	6	☉ ☿ windy,	☿	10	48	
12	7	D with h	☿	11	37	Sun rise at 6 37
13	8		☿	12	26	sets at 5 23
14	2	7 stars south 1 30	♀	1	15	
15	3		♀	2	04	Remove Trees &
16	4		♂	3	53	plant Bridges from
17	5		♂	3	42	this time till April
18	6	St. Luke.	♂	4	31	in open weather.
19	7	☉ ☿ excuse me	☿	5	20	
20	8	☉ ☿ now if it	☿	6	09	
21	2	☉ ☿ be all	☿	6	58	Secure your Hay
22	3	wind,	☿	7	47	& fences from fire.
23	4	☉ ☿ good wea-	☿	8	36	
24	5	(ther.	☿	9	25	Sun rise at 6 49
25	6		☿	10	14	sets at 5 14
26	7		☿	11	03	
27	8	D with ♀	☿	11	52	Sober men comes
28	2	Simon & Jude.	☿	12	41	what drunken men
29	3	7 stars south a little	☿	1	30	usual.
30	4	after midnight.	☿	2	19	
31	5	Day 10 hours.	☿	3	08	

X Month, Chittin, Blistering November.

The River Delaware recent famous abroad, by the Name of Pennsylvania, by reason of the saidain prodigious growth of its chief Town Philadelphia, the greatness of the Prices of Goods and Work mens Wages, and especially for the Divisions and Contrariety of Opinions about Religion.

1	8	* 8 8	7	3	52	Sun rise at 7 2
2	7	Day 9 ho. 8 quar.	7	4	40	sets at 4 58
3	0		7	5	28	First Quar. 7 day
4	2	R. William 3 born,	7	6	16	Full moon 15 day
5	3	1650.	7	7	04	at 7 morn.
6	4	If alone, this is	7	8	52	Last Quar. 22 da
7	5	if 8 bad, but	7	9	40	New 8 29 day
8	6	* 8 8 this con-	7	10	28	at 7 morn.
9	7	tradiets.	7	11	16	
10	0		7	12	04	Sun rise at 7 12
11	1	Martin B.	7	1	52	sets at 4 48
12	2		7	2	40	
13	3		7	3	28	In schools respect
14	4	7 Stars South 11 30	7	4	16	Health. In health
15	5	of 8 8 wet.	7	5	04	respect Diet and
16	6	8 near spica m	7	6	52	Action.
17	7		7	7	40	
18	0	8 8 cold, if	7	8	28	Sweet is the fruit
19	1	windy.	7	9	16	of Labour.
20	2	7 Stars South at 11	7	10	04	
21	3	Day 9 ho. 30 min.	7	11	52	Sun rise at 4 41
22	4		7	12	40	sets at 7 19
23	5	Who keep their feet	7	1	28	
24	6	both dry & warm	7	2	16	Like all weather,
25	7	In winter the cupid	7	3	04	Sorrow comes un-
26	0	much harm,	7	4	52	sent for.
27	1	8 8 pray judge	7	5	40	
28	2	* 8 8 the weather	7	6	28	Money and good
29	3	8 8 your selves	7	7	16	deeds are famous.
30	4	8. Andrew.	7	8	04	

X Month, Teberis, Leaf less Decem.

The case and worsted Providence still observe.
 My steams from thy safe Paths do not swerve,
 See Christen when he doth oppose the Sun,
 Conceals what's doing, hides what's to be done,
 Even to do thou, and know assuredly,
 Silence sometimes's the greatest Policy.

1	1		W 4	11	sun rises at 7 1/2
2	2	D with S	W 5	cc	sets at 4 37
3	3	7 stars south at 10	W 6	46	first Quar. 2 day
4	4	D with S	W 7	36	full moon 14 day
5	5	D with S	W 8	24	8 night.
6	6		W 9	13	last Quar. 21 day
7	7		W 10	cc	New Moon 29
8	8		W 11	41	day at 1 morn.
9	9	Look out sharp.	W 12	34	shortest day 9 h
10	10	Venus Q. b. gin	W 13	24	8 min.
11	11	* S E for rain or	W 14	13	
12	12	D rear Aldebaran,	W 15	cc	Sun. rise 10. 7 1/2
13	13	or the Bull's eye.	W 16	41	sets at 4 34
14	14	(snow.	W 17	36	This Winter when
15	15		W 18	24	in Nov. is 9 h
16	16		W 19	13	12 h. before the
17	17		W 20	cc	sun sets at 4 30
18	18		W 21	41	m. Sun in Janu
19	19	* O E fear it	W 22	40	after the sun sets
20	20	not bad.	W 23	36	in Jan. is 10 1/2
21	21	St. 2 Jan. m.	W 24	24	h. m.
22	22	* E E Rain or	W 25	13	
23	23	flow. & then snow	W 26	cc	Sun rise at 7 1/2
24	24	* S E or rain.	W 27	46	sets at 4 37
25	25	Cirri. low.	W 28	34	
26	26	St. Stephen.	W 29	24	
27	27	St. John.	W 30	13	Time from 10 Wind
28	28	Her. sep. Innocent	W 31	cc	at 11 after sun
29	29	7 stars south & 20	W 32	46	all things are cold
30	30	Chargeable wea-	W 33	34	before the sun.
31	31	ther.	W 34	24	

Of the Eclipses this Year 1700.

THE Inhabitants of this earthly star whereon we live shall see but two Eclipses this year, and they are both of the Moon, and but one of them will be seen by us, which is on the 23 day of *February*, beginneth, saith *Jacob Taylor* at 52 min. after mid night, but *Gadbury* makes it begin as long before mid night, and so by his account the beginning is the 22 day, a little past 11 at night. But if the clouds hinder not, time will best discover who hits the time nearest; however, 'tis a total Eclipse, and holds above 3 hours, and much might be written of its effects this notable year of 1700. But,

The 2d Lunar Eclipse is the 18 h of *August* about 9 a clock in the morning, when the Moon is under the Earth, and therefore invisible, as to us.

Those persons that have the Sun, Moon or Ascendant in ten degrees of the sign π at their Birth, or near the tenth degree, will about *December* next, feel the cruel effects of γ & δ , who are in conjunction in that degr. about the latter end of that month.

NW. I made an Observation of the Moons Eclipse the 20th of *August* last, and found the beginning (by the southing of the 7 stars) to be at 5 min. after 4 a clock in the morning. And according to *Gadbury's* calculation it began at *London* 3 min. after 5 in the morning, which makes the difference of Meridians between *London* and *Burlington* to be 5 ho. 30 min. or 82 deg. 30 min. Hence, by the Doctrine of Triangles the Distance in a Right (but Spherical) Line from *Burlington* to *London*, is 4150 Miles. At present I have not time nor will to prove the work by an exact Calculation of the Eclipse *de Novo*, being willing first to see what correction our new sons of Art will pretend to make herein, as well as the rest of my Almanack.

VJ The bright shining Planet *Venus* is our Evening Star this year till the latter end of *August*, and from thence she is our Morning Star till the middle of *June* the next Year.

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**A Chronology of things Memorable to this
Year 1700.**

T he building of <i>London</i> ,	2771
The building of <i>Rome</i> ,	2452
The building of <i>Cambridge</i> ,	2500
The Bible translated into English at <i>Jerusalem</i> by the 70 Interpreters,	1982
The beginning of the <i>Julian</i> year,	1744
<i>Jesus Christ</i> , by the VVill of God, taking of our Nature, was born of the <i>V. Mary</i> ,	1700
Having finished the VVill of his father, suffered Death upon the Cross for our sins,	1667
<i>England</i> received the Christian faith	1522
<i>St. Stephen</i> stoned. <i>Acts</i> 7. 59.	1666
<i>St. James</i> the Brother of <i>John</i> beheaded,	1656
<i>Joseph</i> of <i>Arimathea</i> went into <i>England</i> ,	1604
<i>St. Peter</i> and <i>Paul</i> were put to Death,	1495
The Destruction of <i>Jerusalem</i> by <i>Titus</i> ,	1622
<i>St. John</i> banished into the Isle of <i>Parma</i> , where he wrote the Book of the <i>Revelations</i> ,	1602
The <i>Danes</i> first came into <i>England</i> ,	682
<i>England</i> Conquered by Duke <i>William</i> ,	632
<i>London</i> Bridge, with 33 years labour, finished with stone,	612
The first Lord Mayor in <i>London</i> ,	610
The Bible divided into Chapters,	401
The Invention of Guns by a Monk,	320
The Rare Invention of Printing by a Soldier,	260
Tobacco first used in <i>England</i> ,	1601
The 1 st Plague in <i>London</i> , whereof one hundred Thousand Persons dyed,	1603
<i>London</i> burnt. 13250 Houses consumed,	1212
King <i>Charles</i> the first beheaded,	1649
<i>O. Cromwell</i> dyed. Sept. 3.	1658
King <i>Charles</i> 2 ^d dyed Feb. 6. 1684.	1684
<i>K. James</i> the 2 ^d crowned. Apr. 23. 1685.	1685
His present Majesty. <i>K. William</i> 3 ^d crowned.	1689
Queen <i>Mary</i> dyed,	1694
The Peace concluded with <i>France</i> ,	1697

The American Chronology.

1492	Christopher Columbus found America,	329
1498	New found Land discovered by the English,	173
1577	Fr. Drake began his Voyage round the world,	123
1585	Nova Albion found & named by F. Drake,	115
1606	Sir Walter Raleigh found & named Virginia,	112
1607	Virginia first planted by the English,	94
1620	New-found-Land first planted,	89
1624	New-York first planted,	87
1630	The first settling of New-England,	82
1630	The building of Boston in New-England,	70
1632	Maryland first planted,	68
1639	The Professors in New-England hanged Quakers for Religion,	47
1692	In order to their Peace & Honour, they (at Boston Lecture) confess they did ill in so doing,	2
1692	Quakers at Philadelphia imprisoned and fined Quakers for Religion,	8
1692	Christian i. e. those Quakers make penitent Confession too	Not one Minute,
1694	The Dutch yielded New York Albany and New Castle to the English,	36
1697	Simata taken by the English,	45
1703	Carolina first planted,	30
1709	The first building of Burlington,	28
1710	Pennsylvania first so called,	20
1712	Philadelphia first founded,	18
1712	The great flood at Delaware, in February,	8
1712	The terrible Earth Quake in Jamaica,	6
1714	The Post Office erected in America,	5
1729	Church in Boston,	12
1731	The building of Trinity Church in N. York,	3
1731	Church in Philadelphia,	8
1740	The last hard Winter here, when Men Horse and Waggoners at N. York and Philadelphia went over the Rivers on the Ice till the 4th of March,	2

Of Courts in West-Jersey, &c.

The day of Election at *Burlington* is the 10th of *April* and meet the 12 of *May*.

Courts of Quarter Sessions at *Burlington* are held on *Feb. 2 May 8. August 8. and November 9.*

Court of Appeals are held at *Burlington* the 9 of *May* and 9 of *October*.

Election day at *Gloucester* for the County is *April 12.*

Courts at *Gloucester* are held the first Days of *March, June, September and December.*

Courts at *Salem* are held the 3d Tuesday in *June, Sept. Decem. & March.*

Election day at *Salem* is the 16 day of *April*.

In Pennsylvania.

The day of Election for Provincial Council & General Assembly is the 1st of *March*. And their appearance in 20 days after Election.

The General Assembly meets the 10 of *May*.

Provincial Courts at *Philadelphia* are the 10 of *April* and 24 of *September*.

The County Courts of Quarter-Sessions are held,

In the County of *Bucks* the 2d Wednesday in *March, June, Sept. and December.*

In *Philadelphia* the first Tuesday in *March, June, Sept. and December.*

In *Chester*, the 2d Tuesday in *March, June, Sept. and December.*

In *New-Castle*, the 3d Tuesday in *March, June, Sept. and December.*

The Orphans Courts throughout the Province of *Pennsylvania* are held the first Tuesday in *March and October.*

The days above are the Times of their holding Courts at the places mentioned, but

The Ecclesiastick Magistrates at *Delaware* are now left to dispute the point which is the most authentick Method to try Law-suits, whether according to a late Court in *Pennsylvania*, where the Jury tryed the issue by Hessel-cap. or according to a Court at *Burlington*, whose Jury use to try the Case by the major Number of votes, where 7 carry the Case against the other 5. But I would not have our neighbour Colonies think that by this our *Delaware* Juries perjure themselves No, they are not capable of doing that, for 'tis impossible that men can perjure themselves that are not under the Obligation of an Oath, &c.

Courts of Qu. Sessions in *New-York*, viz.

AT the City of *New-York* the first Tuesday in *May*, *August*, *Nov.* and *February*.
At *Albany*, the first Tuesday in *June*, *Oct.* & *Feb.*
At *Westchester*, the first Tuesday in *June* & *December*.
In *Ulster County*, the first Tuesday in *March* & *Sept.*
In *Richmond*, the first Tuesday in *March* & *Sept.*
In *Kings County*, the 2d Tuesday in *May* & *Nov.*
In *Queens County*, the first Tuesday in *May* & *Sept.*
In *Suffolk County*, the last Tuesday in *March* and *Sept.*

Supream Courts of Judicature,

At the City of *N.York*, the first Tuesday in *April* & *Oct.*
At *Albany*, the first Tuesday in *May*.
At *Ulster*, the 3d Tuesday in *May*.
At *Richmond*, the 2d Tuesday in *June*.
At *Westchester*, the last Tuesday in *June*.
At *Kings County*, first Tuesday in *August*.
At *Queens County*, the 2d Tuesday in *August*.
At *Suffolk*, the 3d Tuesday in *August*.

In *Rhode Island*,

Two general Courts are held at *Ryals*, viz. on the 29 of *March* and 6 of *September*.

In

In Maryland,

Court days appointed for the several Counties, are kept in the Months of *March, June, August, September, November, and January.*

The first Tuesday in every of the said Months Courts are held for the Counties of *St Marys, Baltimore, and Dorchester.*

The 1d Tuesday, for the Counties of *Anne Arundell, Charles, Somerset and Cecil.*

The 3d Tuesday for the Counties of *Calvert & Talbot.*

The 4th Tuesday for the County of *Kent.*

Grand Juries are appointed, for the Body of each County, in *March and November.*

The Orphans Courts are appointed in *June.*

Of Fairs. 1700.

FAirs are kept at the Times and Places following, viz.

March 21. at Kingstone.

April 24. at Cobansie. 30 at New-York.

*May 1. at Salem. 7 at Amboy, Jamaica,
4 at Chester. 14 at Westchester. 10 at Burlington,
16. at Philadelphia.*

June 25. at Richmond.

July 2. at Southampton. 18. at Amboy.

Sept. 10. at Southold. 24. at Richmond.

*October 3. at Amboy. 5. at Chester. 8. at
Flatbush & Rye. 10. at Kingstone. 16. at Co-
hansie. 15 at Jamaica & Crawler. 20. at
Salem.*

*November 1 at Burlington. 5 at New-York,
16 at Philadelphia.*

The Quakers General Meetings.

At Philadelphia, Sept. 15. At Salem, Apr. 29.
 At East-Tarsey, Octo. 12. At Shrewsbury,
 Octob. 27. At Flushing, May 29. & Nov. 23.
 At Oysterbay, Aug. 24. At Jerico, Febr. 24.
 At Westchester, June 29. At the Kills, July 29.
 At Jamaica, Sept. 28. At Newport on Rhode-
 Island, June 8. At Choptank in Maryland,
 October 6.

The Baptists General Meetings at Delaware,

1700

At Cohansie, June 2. At Burlington, Sept.
 29.

A Description of the High-ways and Roads.

From New-York to Boston 278 Miles, thus accounted.

From New-York to half way House 9 miles,
 thence to Kings-bridge 9 mile, To East-
 Chester 6 m to New-Rochell 4. To Rye 4. To
 Horse-neck 7. To Stanford 7. To Norwalk 10.
 To Fairfield 12. To Stratford 8. To Milford 4.
 To New-haven 10. To Branford 10. To Guil-
 ford 12. To Killingworth 10. To Sea-brook 12.
 To New-London 18. To Stonington 15. To
 Pambertons 12 To Darby 3. To the French-
 Town 24. To Providence 25. To Woodcocks 15
 To Billends 10. To Wares 7. To Dednam 6.
 and from thence to Boston 10 mile.

From New-York to Philadelphia 146 miles,

Thus accounted;

From New-York to Elizabeth-Town (by water) 20 mile, thence to Woodbridge 2. To Piscataway 8. To John Inlans 2. thence to R. Francis's at Cranberry-brook 18 m. To Pages at Doctors brook 12 m. To Crosswicks Bridge 4. To Burlington 14. Thence to Philadelphia 20 mile.

From Philadelphia to the Whore-kills 142 mile,

Thus accounted;

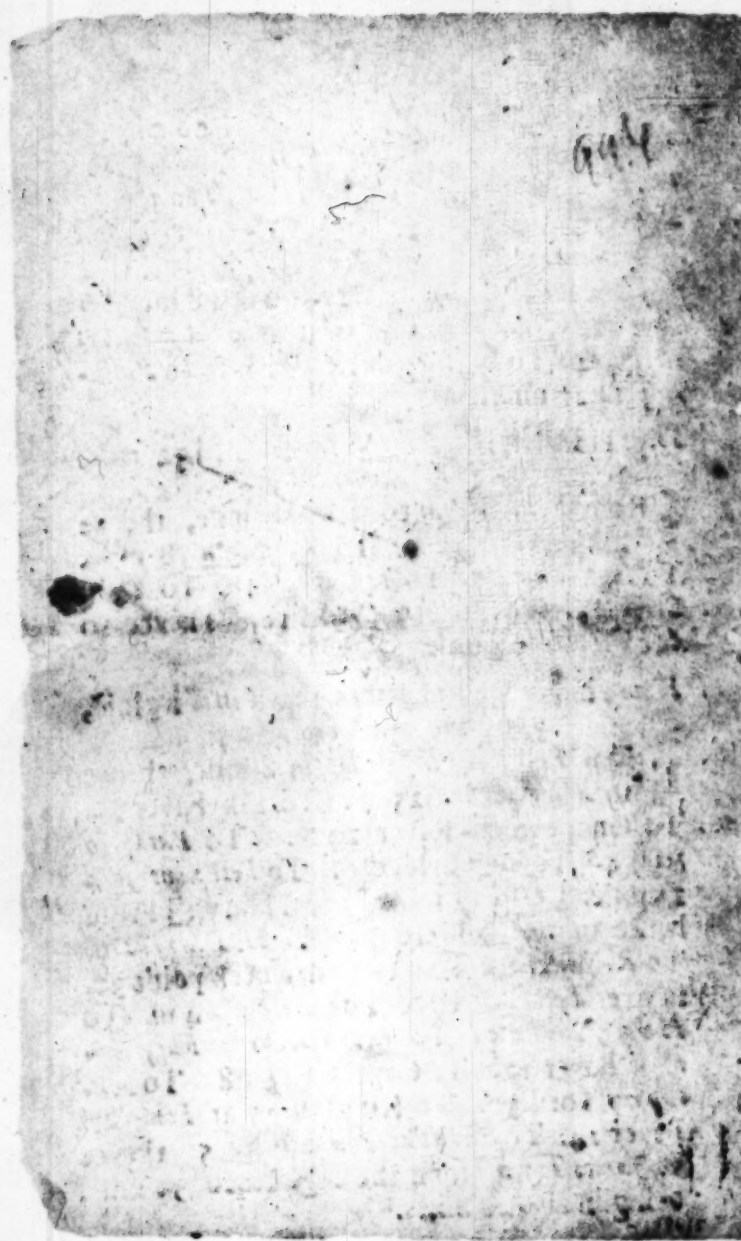
From Philadelphia to Darby 8 mile, thence to Chichester 12 m. To Christians 18 mile. To New-Castle 5. To J. Darby's 18. To Duck Creek 23. To Joneses Creek 18. Thence to Lewis Town 50 mile.

From Philadelphia to James Town in Virginia,

348 mile, thus accounted;

From Philadelphia to Darby 8 mile, thence to Brandy-wine 25 m. To Elk River 20. To Gunpowder-River 20 m. To Patuxent ferry 4. To long bridge 6. To Patuxent ford 25 mile. [Here we turn off to St. Mary's] From hence to Bel's Mill 10 m. To H. Darnells 6. To R. Middletons 10. To Cedar neck point 30. so over Potomock River into Virginia 4 m. To Harv y's Mill 5. To R. Whittens at Rappahannock River 12. To Capt. Gauges 8. To Matagony Ford 30. To Kings ferry at Potomock River 14. To Maddadecum bridge 5. thence to James Town along the high Road 90 mile, being in all 348 miles.

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